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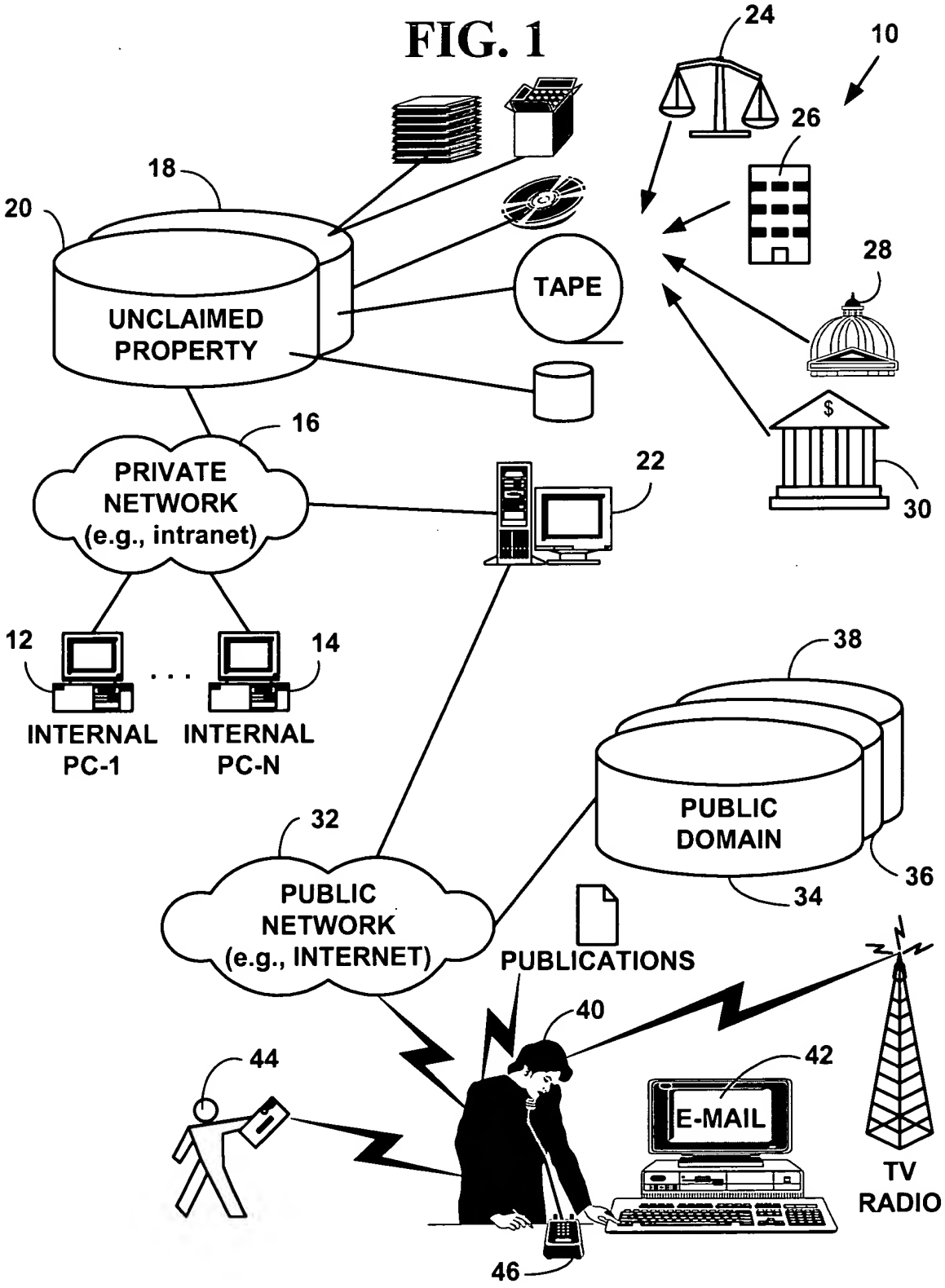
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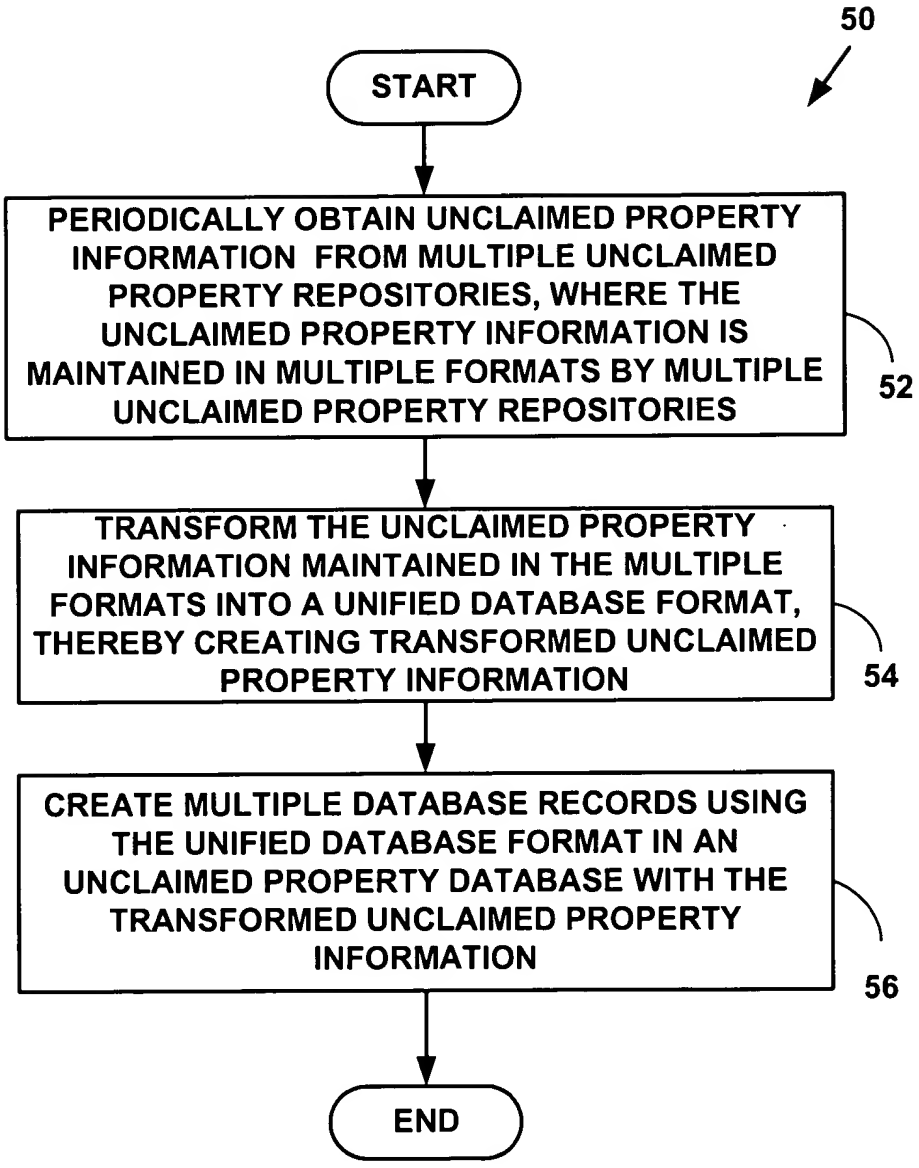
FIG. 2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START
PERIODICALLY OBTAIN UNCLAIMED PROPERTY INFORMATION FROM MULTIPLE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY REPOSITORIES, WHERE THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY INFORMATION IS MAINTAINED IN MULTIPLE FORMATS BY MULTIPLE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY REPOSITORIES
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TRANSFORM THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY INFORMATION MAINTAINED IN THE MULTIPLE FORMATS INTO A UNIFIED DATABASE FORMAT, THEREBY CREATING TRANSFORMED UNCLAIMED PROPERTY INFORMATION
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CREATE MULTIPLE DATABASE RECORDS USING THE UNIFIED DATABASE FORMAT IN AN UNCLAIMED PROPERTY DATABASE WITH THE TRANSFORMED UNCLAIMED PROPERTY INFORMATION
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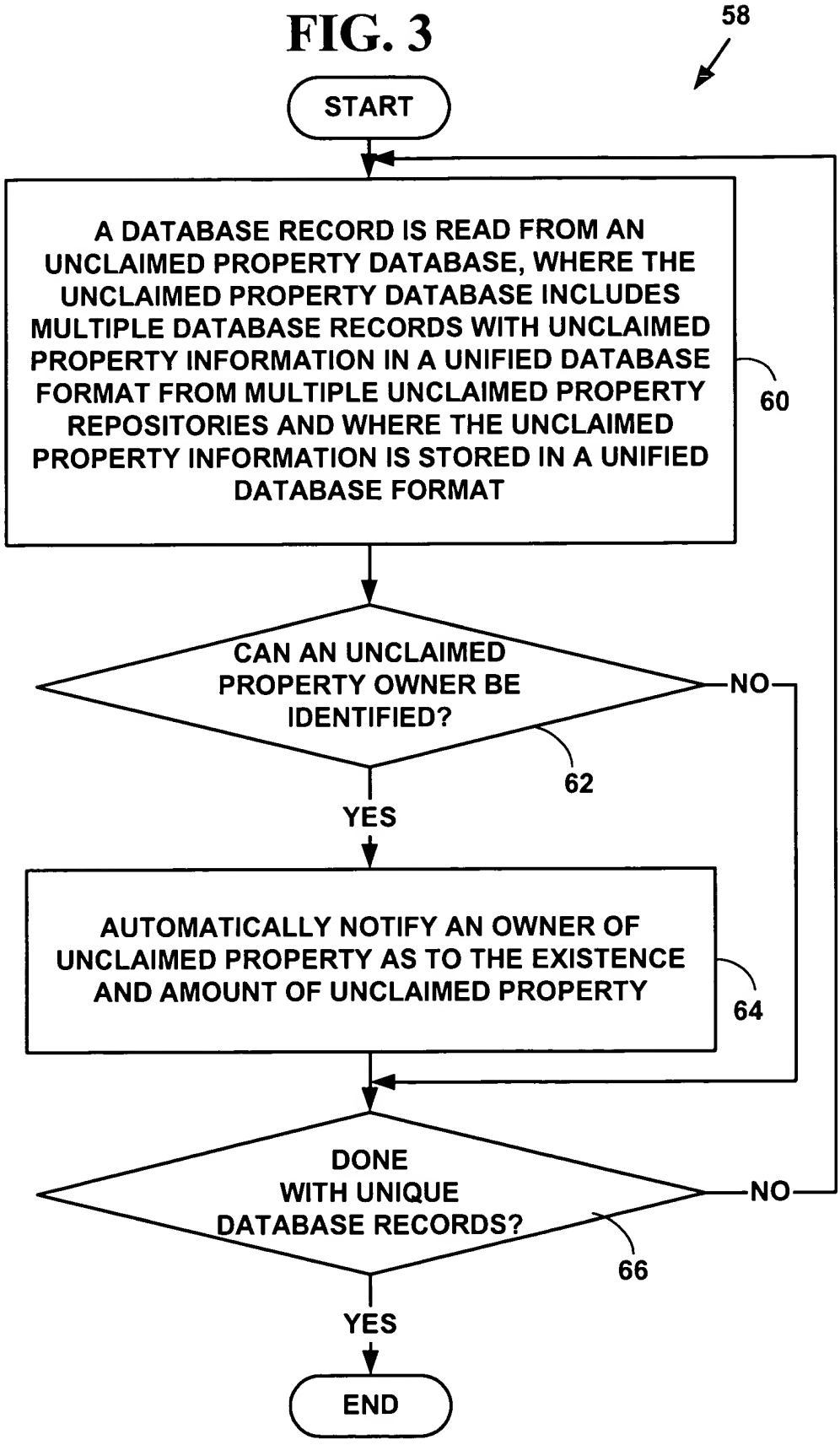
END

FIG. 3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START
A DATABASE RECORD IS READ FROM AN UNCLAIMED PROPERTY DATABASE, WHERE THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY DATABASE INCLUDES MULTIPLE DATABASE RECORDS WITH UNCLAIMED PROPERTY INFORMATION IN A UNIFIED DATABASE FORMAT FROM MULTIPLE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY REPOSITORIES AND WHERE THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY INFORMATION IS STORED IN A UNIFIED DATABASE FORMAT
60
CAN AN UNCLAIMED PROPERTY OWNER BE IDENTIFIED?
NO
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YES
AUTOMATICALLY NOTIFY AN OWNER OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY AS TO THE EXISTENCE AND AMOUNT OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
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DONE WITH UNIQUE DATABASE RECORDS?
NO
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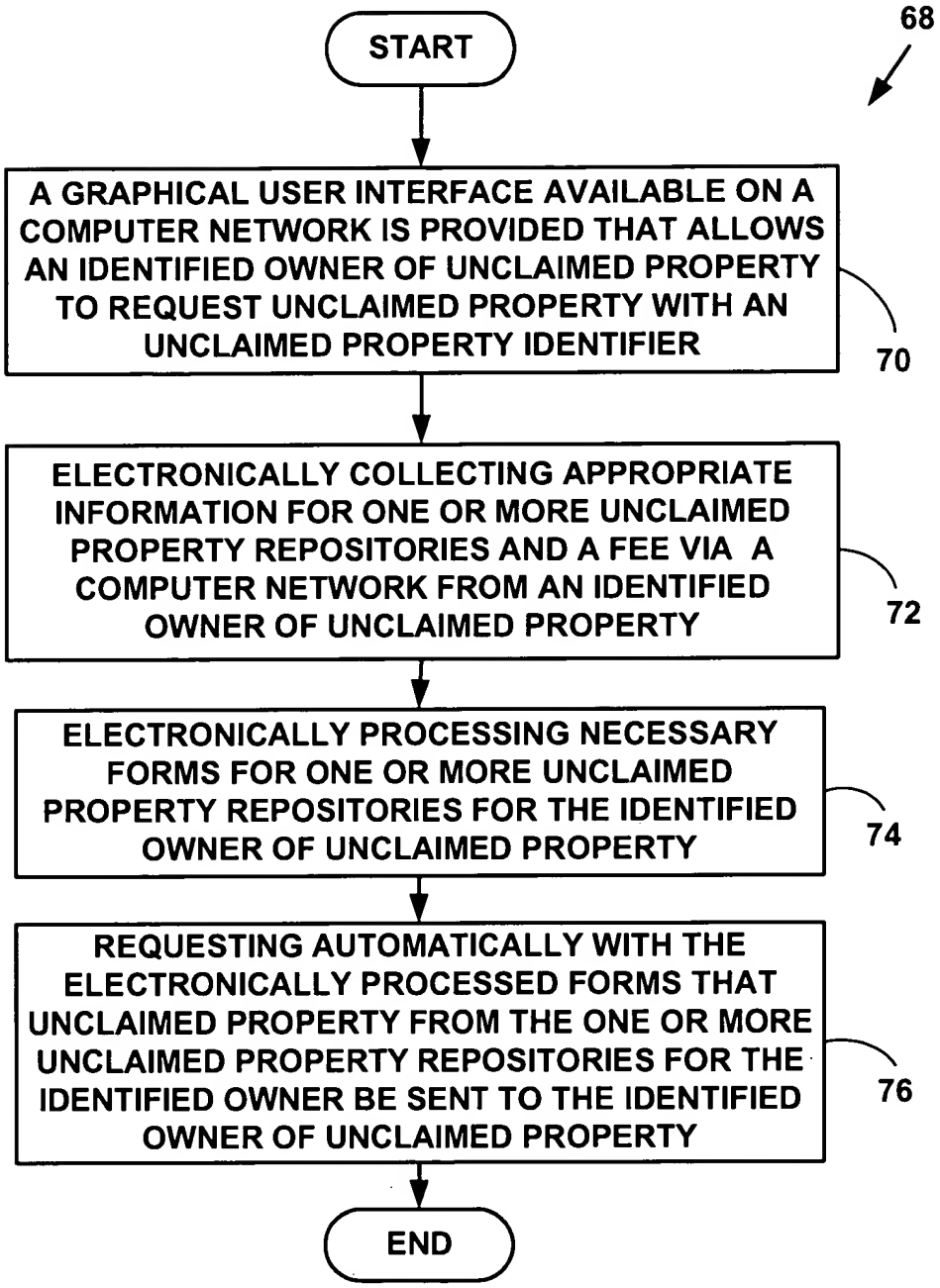
YES
END

FIG. 4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START
A GRAPHICAL USER INTERFACE AVAILABLE ON A COMPUTER NETWORK IS PROVIDED THAT ALLOWS AN IDENTIFIED OWNER OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY TO REQUEST UNCLAIMED PROPERTY WITH AN UNCLAIMED PROPERTY IDENTIFIER
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ELECTRONICALLY COLLECTING APPROPRIATE INFORMATION FOR ONE OR MORE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY REPOSITORIES AND A FEE VIA A COMPUTER NETWORK FROM AN IDENTIFIED OWNER OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
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ELECTRONICALLY PROCESSING NECESSARY FORMS FOR ONE OR MORE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY REPOSITORIES FOR THE IDENTIFIED OWNER OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
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REQUESTING AUTOMATICALLY WITH THE ELECTRONICALLY PROCESSED FORMS THAT UNCLAIMED PROPERTY FROM THE ONE OR MORE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY REPOSITORIES FOR THE IDENTIFIED OWNER BE SENT TO THE IDENTIFIED OWNER OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
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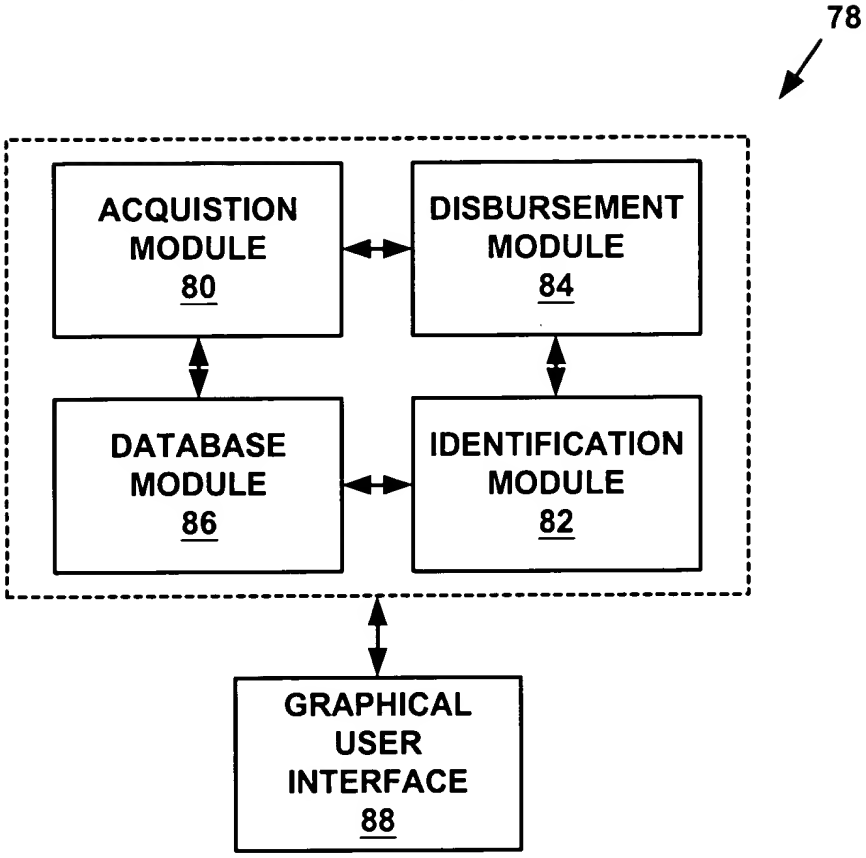
END

FIG. 5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